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The Joshua Basin Water District is authorized by LAFCO to provide the following functions: water and sewer. Property taxes as identified in the audits are composed of the 1% general levy, an ad valorem tax rate for debt service, and special assessments for debt service that are based on a fixed schedule. The agency does not provide other post-employment benefits (OPEB). The agency serves 98 square miles of the Joshua Tree community. The agency retirement plan is administered by CalPERS. Additional information on the District can be accessed via the link below.

Agency Information (map, contact information, fiscal indicators) under construction



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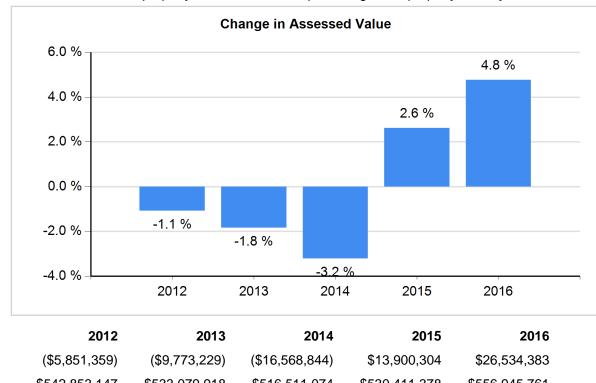
Change in Assessed Value

Description

There is a correlation between assessed property value and the receipt of the general property tax levy.

Formula: change in tax roll value/beginning tax roll value

Source: County Auditor -Agency Net Valuations



2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
\$26,534,383	\$13,900,304	(\$16,568,844)	(\$9,773,229)	(\$5,851,359)
\$556,945,761	\$530,411,378	\$516,511,074	\$533,079,918	\$542,853,147
4.8%	2.6%	-3.2%	-1.8%	-1.1%



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Property Tax Revenue

Description

This indicator will have more importance for those agencies heavily reliant upon property tax revenues. As this revenue source is relatively stable and lags about two years behind changes in market conditions, this indicator can potentially depict the level of stability of an agency's revenue base.

Formula: property tax revenue

Source: Statement of Activities; Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance/Net Position





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Charges for Service (business)

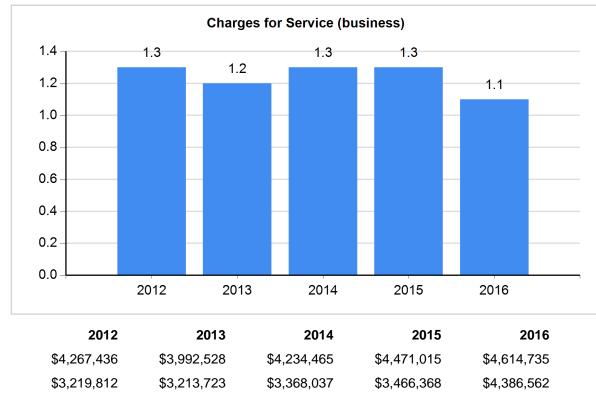
Description

Addresses the extent to which charges for service covered total expenses. A ratio of one or higher indicates that the service is self-supporting.

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Formula: charges for service/operating expenses (minus depreciation)

Source: Statement of Activities; Statement of Cash Flows



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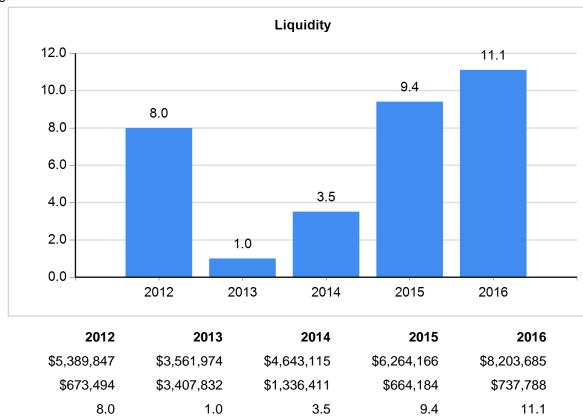
Liquidity

Description

Measures a government's ability to meet its short-term obligations. A high ratio suggests a government is able to meet its short-term obligations.

Formula: cash & investments (does not include fiscal agents, restricted, or fiduciary)/current liabilities

Source: Statement of Net Position





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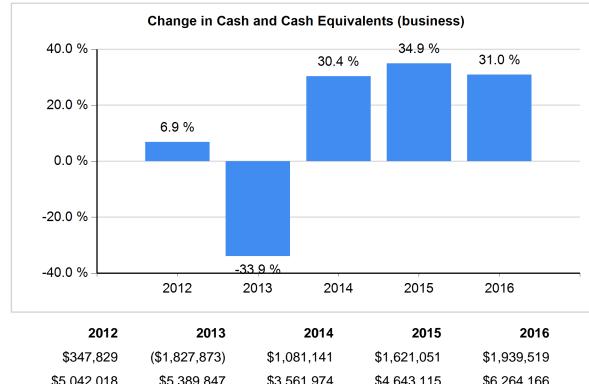
Change in Cash and Cash Equivalents (business)

Description

Cash and cash equivalents are the most liquid assets of an agency's assets and can be readily converted into cash. A positive percent change indicates that a government's cash position has improved.

Formula: change in cash & cash equivalents/begin cash & cash equivalents

Source: Statement of Cash Flows



2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
\$1,939,519	\$1,621,051	\$1,081,141	(\$1,827,873)	\$347,829
\$6,264,166	\$4,643,115	\$3,561,974	\$5,389,847	\$5,042,018
31.0%	34.9%	30.4%	-33.9%	6.9%

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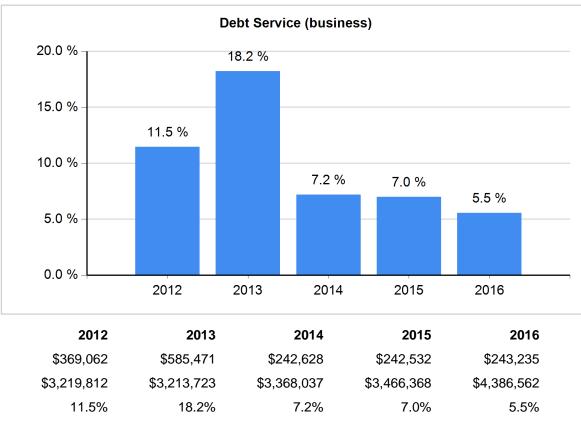
Debt Service (business)

Description

Looks at service flexibility by determining the amount of total expenses committed to annual debt service. Service flexibility decreases as more resources are committed to annual debt service.

Formula: debt service/operating expenses (minus depreciation)

Source: Statement of Cash Flows; Statement of Activities



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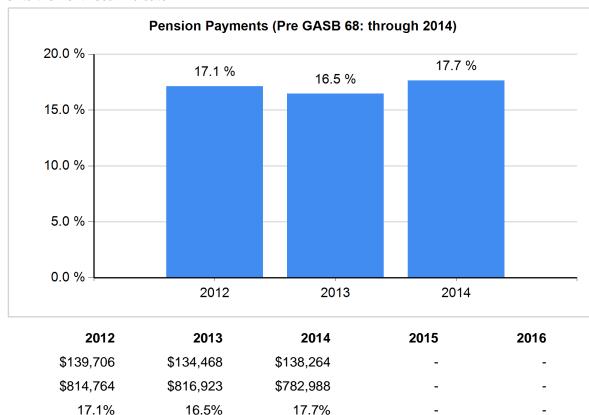
Pension Payments (Pre GASB 68: through 2014)

Description

This indicator depicts the relationship between the pension payments as a percentage of an agency's total revenues. Due to updates to pension reporting requirements, this Pension Payments indicator shows data through 2014. GASB 68 revised and established new financial reporting for pensions effective for 2015. For pension payments for 2015 and beyond, please refer to the next fiscal indicator.

Formula: annual pension cost/total revenue

Source: Notes; Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance



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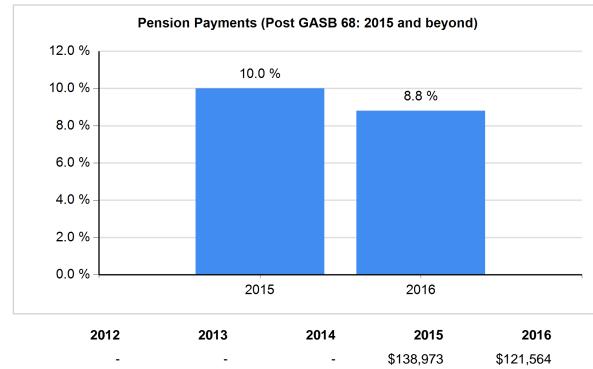
Pension Payments (Post GASB 68: 2015 and beyond)

Description

This indicator depicts the relationship between pension contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll. Due to updates to pension reporting requirements, this Pension Payments indicator shows data for 2015 and beyond. GASB 68 revised and established new financial reporting for pensions effective for 2015. For pension payments through 2014, please refer to the previous fiscal indicator.

Formula: contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution/covered payroll

Source: Schedule of Plan Contributions



2016	2015	2014	2013	012
\$121,564	\$138,973	-	-	-
\$1,384,707	\$1,385,362	-	-	-
8.8%	10.0%	-	-	-